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Docket No.: 44084-484

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
	:	<u>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</u>
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Kazuyuki NISHI	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Serial No.: 09/752,524	:	Confirmation Number: 9990
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For: WASHING METHOD	:	Examiner: KORNAKOV, Michael

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Mail Stop AF Non-Fee Amendment
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action
mailed January 20, 2004.